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VIRGINIA GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

From Friday, February 4, to Friday, February 11, 1736.

London, November 2.

SAturday laſt being his Majeſty's Birth-Day, moſt of the Nobility and Gentry in Town waited on her Majeſty at St. James's, to congratulate her on the ſame. The Court was very richly dreſs'd, tho' not ſo many new Cloaths as uſual; ſo that the Faſhions were much the ſame, as worn on her Majeſty's Birth-Day.

At Night, juſt before Twelve, the Queen quitted the Ball-Room at St. James's, and together with the Duke, and Four Princeſſes, return'd to Kenſington.

Their Royal Highneſſes, the Prince and Princeſs of Wales, lay that Night at St. James's.

On Friday laſt, the Sadlers Company being gone off their Stand, and return'd into their Hall, a Meſſage was ſent to the Maſter from Needham's, that it was his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales's Pleaſure to ſee the Hall; whereupon the Maſter, Wardens, and Court of Aſſiſtants, went down into the Court-Yard in their Gowns and Hoods, and waited to receive their Highneſſes, whom they attended into the Hall, the Muſick, Kettle-Drums, and Trumpets ſounding; his Royal Highneſs ſeem'd greatly pleas'd, and ask'd ſeveral Queſtions concerning the Antiquity and Cuſtoms of the Company, (which is one of the oldeſt in the City) and being ſatisfy'd in the Account given him by Mr. William Pool, and Mr. Thomas Harriſs, Two of the antient Maſters, they went into the Court-Room, and his Royal Highneſs was pleaſed to ſalute the Ladies; and the Court of Aſſiſtants had the Honour to kiſs their Royal Highneſſes Hands; then his Royal Highneſs received a Glaſs of Wine from Mr. Heylinn, one of the Wardens, and drank Proſperity and Succeſs to the Sadlers Company, and all the Members thereof: His Royal Highneſs was pleas'd to leave Five Guineas, to the Muſick and Servants.

They write from the Hague, that his Grace the Duke of Richmond was introduced on Thurſday ſe'nnight, into an Order of Knighthood, eſtabliſh'd there, in Honour of St. George, and that his Serene Highneſs the Prince of Orange, was preſent at the Entertainment given on the Occaſion, which was extremely magnificent, and ended with a fine Firework.

A few Days ſince, the Sea-Flower, Capt. Cox, in her Paſſage from Briſtol to Dartmouth, was drove on the Perrin Sands, near Penſance, the Maſter was waſh'd overboard and drown'd, but all the Crew were ſav'd. The Country People came down and broke open her Hatches, and carried off ſome Part of the Cargo; but a Company of Soldiers came from Truroe, to their Aſſiſtance, who finding the Country Fellows perſiſt in their unjuſtifiable and villainous Proceeding, were oblig'd to fire on them, by which one was kill'd on the Spot, and ſeveral others were wounded, when they retir'd, and the Ship and greateſt Part of her Cargo was ſav'd.

According to Letters from Rome, the Pope has order'd the Life of the Princeſs Clementina Sobieski, the late Wife of the Chevalier de St. George, to be drawn up after the Manner of our Patents for Peerages, in order for her Beatification or Canonization; and that the proper Officer, who is his own Sacriſtian, was order'd to proceed upon it immediately after All-Saints Day; but whether the Ceremony can be perform'd ſoon enough for her Appearance among the Saints in the Romiſh Kalendar of the Year enſuing, is to be doubted.------They add, that Francis, a Lay Brother of the Franciſcans Convent at Ripa, having died there lately, with what they call Odor of Sanctity, i. e. the Reputation of a Saint, for having exorcis'd a Woman that had the Devil in her, and drove him out, and for having alſo reſtor'd a blind Man to his Sight; the Franciſcan Fryars expos'd his Corpſe next Day in their Church, and the Populace flock'd to it in ſuch Crowds for ſome Pieces of his Habit to keep as Reliques, that the Guards were ſent for to prevent Miſchief.

ODE for his Majeſty's Birth-Day, 1736.

By Colley Cibber, *Eſq*; *Poet-Laureat.*

Set to Muſick by Dr. Green.

AIR.

COME lovely Virgin, fair ey'd Peace,
With all thy honeſt jovial Throng,
Loud laughing Mirth and ſmiling Eaſe,
Aſſiſt the Muſe and raiſe the Song:

Sing! ſing! to GEORGE his natal Day,
Great GEORGE, who makes Mankind his Care,
While tripping Swains ſhall grace the Lay,
And dance upon the Grave of War.

RECITATIVO.

Down! down! the fell, the furious Monſter falls!
Diſbanded Rapine drops her Spoils around;
While fearleſs now the Voice of Labour calls,
To turn the bleeding Turf, and till the Ground.

AIR and CHORUS.

When Britain's late Arms
Were for Conqueſt renown'd,
Tho' her Triumphs had Charms,
Yet her Glory has found,
No Conqueſt more great
Than to guard againſt War,
Nor the Pride to defeat
Like the Glory to ſpare.

Ambition no more
Shall your Quiet annoy,
Nor the Peaſant deplore
What he hop'd to enjoy.
Your Commerce, your Arts,
Shall all flouriſh and ſing,
And the Joy of your Hearts
Be the Joy of your King.

RECITATIVO.

Theſe Bleſſings, GEORGE, to thy great Influence giv'n,
Glorious proclaim thee Subſtitute of Heav'n.

AIR.

GEORGE, the Beam of Juſtice poiſing,
Marks Ambition's bounded Power;
When too high the Scale is riſing
Britiſh Meaſures ſink it low'r.

Kings, in frantick Pride contending,
Native Bleſſings to deſtroy,

Learn'

Learn from GEORGE their Ruptures ending,
Greater Bleſſings to enjoy.

RECITATIVO.

Diſtruſt and Envy now no more
Shall vainly blaſt the Views of Pow'r.

AIR.

But thankful for the happy Day,
That gave the Godlike Hero Life,
Shall make, who now ſhall beſt obey,
The only Mark of Civil Strife.

CHORUS.

Till Fame has confeſt,
(Thro' the Glories of State)
In a People ſo bleſt,
No Monarch ſo great.

London, Nov. 4. Don Carlos being lately hunting in the new Park he has made near Naples, met with a Farm Houſe that ſeem'd to ſtand in his Way, and without more ado, order'd it to be levell'd to the Ground, which was executed the ſame Moment; and, to the great Surprize of the People, a Hoard of 14,000 Ducats diſcover'd in it, which the Farmer had conceal'd in the Wall, for fear of having it taken from him.

We hear from Barbary, by the Way of Gibraltar, that the Engliſh Nation was never in higher Eſteem with the Moors than at preſent; and that our Ships are treated with uncommon Civility in all their Ports: That, on the contrary, the French and Dutch are entirely out of Favour with the preſent Emperor, who has forbid any of his Subjects, on pain of Death, to mention either a Treaty of Peace or a Contract for the Redemption of Slaves with thoſe Two Nations; and that the Two Ambaſſadors had, for their own Security, return'd from Sallee.

The ſame Letters further adviſe, that the new Emperor, Muley Abdallah, being ſecurely ſeated on his Throne, had order'd all the State Priſoners to be ſlain, among whom was Baſhaw Salem Ducally, one of the richeſt of his Subjects, and ſeized his Eſtate for the publick Service; an Inventory of whoſe Effects are as follows:

500 Quintals of Money.	300 Saddles.
15000 Sheep.	10 Gold Saddles.
1500 Cattle.	100 Muskets with Gold Rings.
600 Aſſes.	500 ditto with Silver.
1500 Camels.	3000 Plain Firelocks.
1100 Oxen.	200 Rich Cloaks.
300 Mules.	Corn without Meaſure.
300 Horſes.	

London, Nov. 6. Yeſterday being the Anniverſary Thankſgiving for the Gunpowder Treaſon Plot, when King, Lords and Commons were deliver'd from the bloody Deſigns of the Papiſts, was kept as uſual; and it being alſo the Landing of King William at Torbay, who came to redeem us from ſtanding Armies in Times of Peace, from ſeptennial Parliaments, and other Incroachments of the Prerogative; and who reſtor'd to us that ineſtimable Bleſſing of Triennial Parliaments, muſt make it doubly acceptable to all Engliſhmen, who conſider the great and happy Deliverances on that Day.

As ſome People have idlely imagin'd that King William landed the 4th, his Birth-Day; ſee what Biſhop Burnet, the favourite of the Faction, ſays, Vol. I. p. 787. 'On 'the 3d of November we paſs'd between Dover and Calais, and before Night came in Sight of the Iſle of 'Wight. The next Day (the 4th) being the Day in 'which the Prince was both Born and Married, he fancied if he could land that Day, it would look auſpicious to the Army, and animate the Soldiers. But we all, 'who conſidered that the Day following (the 5th) being Gunpowder Treaſon, our Landing that Day, might 'have a good Effect on the Minds of the Engliſh Nation, 'were better pleas'd to ſee that we could land no ſooner.'

Letters from Liſbon, dated the 15th paſt, bring an Account of the Death of Capt. George Proctor, Commander of his Majeſty's Ship the Centurion, a Fourth Rate, and one of Sir John Norris's Squadron; his Commiſſion of Captain bears date the 31ſt of March, 1726.

Since the Death of the aboveſaid Gentleman, the following Promotions have been made by Sir John Norris, viz. Capt. Durell, remov'd from the Leopard, to the Command of the Centurion; Capt. Chambers, from the Griffin Fireſhip, to the Leopard; Lieutenant Deering, late firſt Lieutenant of the Britannia, made Capt. of the Griffin; Lieutenant Guy, firſt of the Sunderland, made ſixth Lieutenant of the Britannia; and Mr. David Broady, late Midſhipman on board the Britannia, made third Lieutenant of the Sunderland.

Thurſday the Court of Directions of the Eaſt India Company, receiv'd a Packet over Land from Bombay, dated March the 2, 1735, with a particular Account of the taking of the Darby, Capt. Abraham Anſelme, December the 27th, as formerly mention'd: They were attack'd by Angria the Pyrate, having under his Command Five Grabs and Four Gallavats, about Four o'Clock at Noon: The firſt ſhot Mr. Rogers, the Chief Mate, loſt his Leg, and being unable to keep the Deck, was carried down to be dreſs'd, where the Captain went down to him, to know what he thought was proper to be done, who adviſed him to defend to the utmoſt the Properties with which he was intruſted: The Capt. accordingly went on Deck, and in a ſhort Time the Mizen-Maſt was ſhot away, and preſently after the Main-Maſt; ſhe likewiſe reciev'd a ſhot between Wind and Water, but that was ſoon ſtop'd: The Capt. after about Six Hours Fight, order'd the Colours to be ſtruck, which Mr. Burroughs, the third Mate, was againſt, deſiring him to Fight her as long as ſhe would ſwim; but the Capt. order'd them not to Fire a Gun at their Peril: When Anglia ſaw the Colours ſtruck, he order'd the Men to come in their Boats aboard his Grabs, which being done, his Men took Poſſeſſion of the Darby, put their Men under the Hatches, and towed the Ship into one of their Harbours: Mr. Burroughs, and One or Two more, were upon their Paroll of Honour, diſpatch'd by Angria to Bombay, with Propoſals of Peace to the Governor and Council: Mr. Rogers is ſince dead of his Wounds, Four or Five Men more were alſo killed, Six wounded, and 115 left Priſoners. The Richmond, Capt. Charles Gough, was then at Bombay, but was to ſail for China, the Beginning of April.

We have from Paris one of the moſt uncommon Pieces of News that ever happen'd, if it is not an Allegory. 'Six Children of one and the ſame Family in Paris, fell 'all ill at the ſame Time of a Purple Fever, all died 'at the ſame Hour, and were all carried to the Grave 'together.'

We hear from Bruſſels, that his Imperial Majeſty hath honour'd the Prince of Horne, who married the Lady Charlotta Maria Bruce, only Daughter of the Right Hon. the Earl of Ailesbury, by his ſecond Counteſs, with the Dignity of Prince of the Holy Empire, and to deſcend to his Heirs Male or Female, born or to be born.

The ſudden Retreat of the Imperial Troops from Lucca, whither they had advanced ſome Months ago, to be at Hand to enter Tuſcany ſo ſoon as the Spaniards ſhould evacuate it, is attributed to the great Number of Men which had deſerted, and taken on in the Duke of Montemar's Army. This Step muſt, however, appear ſurprizing, at a Time when the Report prevails in all the Courts of Europe, that the Emperor and King of Spain are certainly agreed, and that the Spaniards will immediately quit Tuſcany.

Petitbourg, the fine Seat of the Duke of Antin, being a Place the King of France had taken great Delight in, and us'd to make ſeveral Parties of Pleaſure every Year to viſit, the Duke has left it to his Majeſty by his Will; and the King has given his Grandſon the Government of Orleans, and a Penſion 20,000 Livers, as a Sort of Indemnification for his Diſappointment in the Eſtate.

They write from the Hague, That the States General have return'd the King of Great-Britain an Anſwer to the Letter he wrote to them, in Favour of the Prince of Orange, deſiring them to prevail with the States of Zealand, not to do his Serene Highneſs the Injuſtice to deprive him of his Marquiſate of Ter-Veer and Fluſhing.

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It is ſaid their High Mightineſſes, after the uſual Compliments, acquaint his Majeſty, that as States General they had no Right to interfere in any particular Province, every Province being an abſolute Maſter of itſelf; and as Executors of the Will of the late King William, their Hands were tied up, having ſome Time ago, paſs'd a Reſolution to leave the ſaid Provinces to themſelves, with Regard to the Extradition of the Eſtates of his ſaid late Majeſty.

They alſo write from the Hague, that the States of Zealand have requeſted their High Mightineſſes the States General, to repreſent to his Britannick Majeſty, the Reaſons which cannot ſuffer them to depart from the repeated Reſolutions they have taken, to re-unite the Sovereignty of the Marquiſate of Ter-Veer and Fluſſing, to their Province, paying to his Serene Highneſs the Prince of Orange, the Equivalent they have offer'd him Money. Theſe Letters add, that their High Mightineſſes, to give Satisfaction to the ſeveral Towns of the Provinces, the People appearing to intereſt themſelves for the Prince of Orange, have order'd 10,000 Copies of his Majeſty Letter, and their Anſwer annex'd, to be printed and diſpers'd, to ſatisfy the Minds of the Publick in Relation to the ſaid Affair.

Extract of a Letter from Pampelona, dated Oct. 26. *N. S. directed to a Gentleman, a Native of that Place, who is now in London.*

'Yeſterday Two Perſons, nam'd Valeduenia, and 'Pinto, were executed in this City, for their frequent 'Barbarities and Murders committed in the Caverns of 'the Pyrenean Mountains, upon the Bodies of all the 'Men, Women, and Children, they could lay hold on 'thereabouts; and when they had done any Miſchief, 'they took Refuge in the famous and almoſt inacceſſible Caverns of the Pyrenean Mountains, called Las 'Cerradas, about Six Leagues Eaſtward of the Roncevalles. In their Examination, they confeſs'd no leſs 'than 30 Murders committed by them, and declar'd that 'they had devour'd ſeveral of the Bodies at different 'Times, when the Purſuit was too hot againſt them for 'them to venture out of their inacceſſible Retreats. The 'Execution could not be too ſevere for Crimes ſo flagrant; they were quarter'd alive, and their Quarters 'hung up in the publick Road from Roncevalles, to St. 'John de Pie de Porte. There was likewiſe a Woman 'executed with them, who, for the Sum of Ten Pieces 'of Eight, given her by one Aldrete a Surgeon, had murder'd her Two Children, as it was thought, to remove 'them out of the Way of a ſmall Fortune, which they 'were to have the Reverſion of, after the Death of an old 'Relation, and to which he was the next after them in 'Expectation. The Surgeon made his Eſcape to France, 'as ſoon as he found the Murder was diſcover'd, and the 'inhuman Mother was taken up.

London, Nov. 9. Laſt Saturday died of the Palſey, Salway Winnington, of Standford Court in Worceſterſhire, Eſq; who repreſented the Borough of Bewdley, in Worceſterſhire in ſeveral Parliaments; and in the laſt Parliament call'd by Queen Anne, was made a Commiſſioner of the publick Accounts; he marry'd one of the Siſters to the late Lord Foley (the other Siſters having marry'd the late Earl of Oxford, the Hon. Edward Harley, Eſq; and Sir Blunden Charlton, a Bart.) by whom he was Father of Thomas Winnington, Eſq; one of the Lords of the Treaſury, and Member of Parliament for Droitwich, and Two Daughters, one marry'd to Thomas Wheeler, Eſq; of Great George-ſtreet, at whoſe Houſe he died, and Mrs. Maſham, Wife of the Hon. Samuel Maſham, Eſq; only Son of the Right Hon. the Lord Maſham.

Laſt Week died at Wilminton in Kent, Stephen Perry, Eſq; (who lately fin'd for Sheriff of London) worth 100,000 l. which he has left to his Nephew, Mr. Stephen Perry, a Baker, at Hampton Pariſh, in Glouceſterſhire, and made him ſole Executor.

Saturday laſt, their Royal Highneſſes the Prince and Princeſs of Wales, were at the Theatre-Royal in Covent-Garden, to ſee the Opera of Alcina, which was performed to a numerous and ſplendid Audience: The Box in which their Royal Highneſſes ſat, was of white Sattin, beatifully ornamented with Feſtons of Flowers in their proper Colours, and in Front was a flaming Heart, between Two Hymeneal Torches, whoſe different Flames terminated in one Point, and were ſurmounted with a Label, on which were wrote, in Letters of Gold, theſe Words, MUTUUS ARDOR.

Mr. Rondeau, the Britiſh Miniſter at Petersbourg, is continually in Conference at that Court, on the Buſineſs of his Mediation. The French, tho' never ask'd to interfere, are reſolv'd to interpoſe, and for that Purpoſe, have ſent an Agent to Petersbourg, and give out, that they intend to poſt the Marqueſs de Bonac, to Conſtantinople. This Nobleman was Embaſſador to the Porte in 1734, is eſteem'd a Man of Intrigue, and was concern'd in mediating the Differences at that Time ſubſiſting between the Czar Peter, and the Turk.

The Advices from Vienna aſſure, that in Caſe an Accommodation is not ſoon brought about, a Treaty now in Agitation will be irrevocably concluded between the Emperor, the Czarina, the King of Poland, and the Republick of Poland, for driving the Turk out of Europe. As his Imperial Majeſty's Finances ſeem already a little ſtraiten'd, he has order'd Two Months Pay to be deducted from all the Officers in Hungary, whoſe Regiments had not been this Summer encamp'd.

Theſe Advices from Vienna, at the ſame Time, ſurprize us with an Article, as if the French were determin'd to take other Methods to prevent the Fate threaten'd the Grand Signior, beſides that of compoſing the Quarrel by Way of Negotiation; a Report being univerſal there, that the Emperor having condeſcended to pacify Spain by a Compliance with her Demands, all Obſtacles were believed to be remov'd from that Quarter; but that whilſt a Courier from Madrid was every Moment expected, with Diſpatches to put the laſt Stroke to the general Peace, the French Miniſter had preſented a Memorial, declaring, that by the moſt Chriſtian King's Conſtruction of the Preliminary Articles, he conceiv'd, that his Imperial Majeſty was to undertake the Republick of Poland, ſhould, not only at preſent, but always, ſtile King Staniſlaus, King of Poland, and never withdraw that Title. The Emperor, 'tis added, ſeem'd ſurprized; but, to uſe his beſt to remove the Difficulty, anſwer'd, that to warrant for the Poles, was impoſſible, but that the would do it for King Auguſtus.

The Court of Spain, as ſoon as they heard of the Arrival of Prince Emanuel of Portugal at Valladolid, ſent him their Compliments, and earneſtly intreated him to return to his Brother; but the Prince wrote a Letter of Thanks, and the Inſtant after the Courier was diſpatch'd, ſet out privately, as 'tis ſaid, on his Way to France.

The Advices from Conſtantinople, how often ſoever repeated, with regard to the Concluſion of the Peace between the Turks and Perſians, never met with Credit till the Letters receiv'd from Petersbourg, ſeem to put it beyond Diſpute: They mention, that the Perſian Embaſſador there had, at laſt, chang'd his Note, and in a late Audience of the Czarina, inſtead of renewing the Aſſurances he had ſo many Times ſolemnly made in the Name of the Sophi his Maſter, *that he would never come to an Accommodation with the Grand Signior, without procuring Ruſſia to be comprehended in the Treaty*, he declar'd, 'That the Sophi of Perſia had not been able to obtain, 'that her Czarian Majeſty ſhould be called as a contracting Party to the Treaty of Peace, concluded between 'the Turks and Perſians, but that he had, in ſome Sort, 'manag'd it, that the quiet Poſſeſſion of the Dagheſtan, '&c. ſhould be preſerv'd to her.' The Ruſſians are, however, no way oblig'd to him for this Article, ſince the giving them back to the Turkiſh Empire, would have been contrary to his own Intereſt. The Articles of the Peace are ſaid to be, that the Grand Signior ſhall acknowledge Thamas, for King and Sophi of Perſia, and engage to maintain him on the Throne againſt all Enemies within or without his Empire; that the Limits and Bounds of the Two Empires ſhall be replaced on the ſame Foot they were before the War with Perſia; and that the Contracting Parties ſhall be determin'd by what was regulated on this Head, in the Reign of Sultan Amurath I. which Method of Expreſſion, is uſed to avoid

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the disagreeable Term Cession, and to save the Honour of the Porte: A seperate private Article also explains, that by replacing the Limits, is meant the Restitution to Persia, of all the Conquests during the late Trouble. Provision is likewise made by this Peace for the followers of the Prophet Omar, to have Leave to visit Mahomet's Tomb, free of the Impositions, formerly exacted on the Persian Pilgrims: And th last Article stipulates an Exchange of Prisoners. According to our Advices, the Accommodation between the Turks and Russians, as may well be imagin'd, advances slowly: That 'tis believ'd, however, the Grand Signior will part with Asoph, on Condition the Russians will not pretend to trade in the Black Sea, or on the River Tanais, or in Don or Tartary.

London, Nov. 11. We hear a General Officer has just hir'd the famous French Cook, who lately serv'd a noble Duke: His Wages are 125 l. per Annum, a Bottle of Champaign every Day at Dinner, and clean Linnen (Ruffled Shirts, &c.) allow'd him daily, besides other Priviledges, Perquisites, and Immunities, altogether unknown to the Cooks of the Growth of Great Britain.--------It's hop'd the Parliament will prohibit the Importation of these Fellows, who 'tis thought are sent over purposely either to ruin or poison our Nobility and Gentry: If all Foreign Fopperies, Foreign Stuffs, Silks, &c. were prohibited, and we oblig'd to wear (like the prudent Nation of Denmark) our own Manufactures, probably Trade would flourish, and not so many Bankrupts as now weekly appear.

Yesterday Mr. Roberts, an eminent Cabinet-maker in Princess-street, Piccadilly, one of the People call'd Quakers, was joined in Holy Matrimony, unto Mrs. Elizabeth Mercer, of the County of Essex, a young Woman of an exceeded fair Countenance and lovely to behold, at the Quakers Meeting-house, opposite to Exeter Exchange in the Strand, before a numerous Congregation of both Sexes.

On Friday last, the Corpse of Edward Harvey, of Combe in Surry, Esq; who died some Time since at Dunkirk, and was brought over hither to be interr'd, lay in State in a grand Manner, at the Rose and Crown Inn, at Saffron Walden in Essex, from whence the next Morning the Hearse was preceeded by a great Number of his Tenants on Horseback, Two and Two, wearing long black Cloaks, with Mourning Hatbands and Gloves, to Hempsted Church in that Neighbourhood; when it was interr'd in a spacious Family's Vault in the Church near the Chancel, where are placed in regular Order, upwards of 30 Coffins of the Harveys of Combe, and Chigwell Families, many of them in Lead of Foreign Make, and some with Breast-plates solder'd thereon, of a very ancient Date; over the Vault are several curious Monuments, one of which is erected to the Memory of the famous Dr. Harvey, who discover'd the Circulation of the Blood, with the Ornament of his Busto, in white Marble.

On Monday last, the Masters, Wardens, &c. of the Sadlers Company waited on his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and presented his Royal Highness with a Freedom of the said Company, and desir'd their Royal Highnesses would do them the Honour to sit for their Pictures; which by his Royal Highness's Order, are to be drawn by Mr. Richardson, and to be hung up in their Hall in Cheapside.

London, Nov. 20. Last Night the Corps of Mrs. Jennings, a Maiden Lady, who died at the Oxford-Arms Inn in Warwick-Lane last Monday Night, was interred in Christ-Church, Newgate-street, in a Coffin 6 Feet and ½ long, and 2 Feet 9 Inches over, covered with Velvet. She has left ---- Jennings, of Northaw, Esq; her Executor; and about 80,000 l. to her first Cousins, 5 Children, to whom she presented yearly 1000 l. 'Tis very remarkable of this Lady, that she never had any fixt Dwelling, but remov'd from one Inn to another; sometimes in London, at other Times in the Country, with a Steward, 2 Women Servants, a Coachman and Footman, and seldom went out of her Chamber all the Time.

Williamsburg, February 14. Since our last, *Arriv'd* in *York* River, the Ship *Burwell*, Capt. *Waff*; the Ship *John*, Capt. *Seabrooke*, and the Ship *Timothy* and *Jacob*, Capt. *Belcher*: And in *James* River, the Ship ---- Capt. *Wigg*; all from *London*; and had short Passages.

Capt. *Seabrooke*, relates, That he spoke with a Man of War, in *Margate* Road, that just put in there, having lost her Masts; the belong'd to the Squadron that was sent to convoy his Majesty over to England; they inform'd him, that his Majesty was embark'd on board one of his Yatchts, at Helveotsluice, and proceeding with his Convoy; but that soon after they were sail'd out of the Maese, a violent Storm arose, and dispers'd the Yatchts and Men of War; that they saw one of the Yatchts founder, in which they said Mr. *Walpole's* Servants and Baggage were; and that they did not know what was become of the Yatcht his Majesty was in; that they had enquir'd at Harwich, and found that His Majesty was not arriv'd there; nor had they any Account of His Arrival any where: Which occasions a great Consternation: But it's hop'd He is put back to Holland, or sail'd to the Norward.

The MONITOR, *to Zoilus.*

Has Codrus, *in his Critic Pride,*
Approv'd of Works yet known?
Yes, Sir, what none approv'd beside,
Of Works, that were his own.

Gent. Mag.

A New SONG.

HOw hard is my Fate!----to be thus over match'd,
O good Sir, forbear! let me not be dispatch'd;
Have pitty on me,----- *or at least on your self,*
Your Writing as yet, has but prov'd you an Elf.
Derry down, &c.

Tho' your Numbers are sweet,--- your *Musick* smells rank,
And by fatal mistake, ----- she has play'd you a Prank:
At once take Advice, and pray try her no more,
She only design'd it to [illegible] the Wh-----.
Derry down, &c.

Take this for a Truth, you must pick well your Ears,
Nay syringe them too, e'er your *Song* reach the Spheres;
The *Tune* you will leave to some other, if wise,
Or Midas's Lugs, will be thought your just Prize.
Derry down, &c.

The Sublime! I well know, you fain wou'd essay,
But *Grub, a pox on it*, still comes in the way;
Bombast stands for *Wit*, and low Thoughts for a Jest,
Like an unseason'd Dish,----without the least Zest.
Derry down, &c.

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